



Teaching Strategies® GOLD™ is an ongoing observational system for assessing children.

Unless otherwise specified, all trainings will be located at

Doubletree Hotel Montgomery  
120 Madison Avenue  
Rosa Parks Conference Room  
Montgomery, AL 36104  
334-245-2320

[Directions](#)

Training dates are listed on the back

This training is hosted by the Alabama Department of Children's Affairs. The first day of each training session will be an overview of assessments, followed by two days of the Teaching Strategies® GOLD™ online assessment tool. In order to receive credit hours, all three days should be attended.

**Cost of Training:** Please refer to the Training Tables to determine if a fee applies to you.

**Travel Arrangements:** Doubletree of Montgomery is partnering with us to provide a significant lodging discount for these trainings.



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Occupancy is single or double and is based on first available.  
Reservations are made by **calling the hotel directly** at 334-245-2320 and using the code as indicated on the Training Tables below. **The rate is \$103 and includes parking, breakfast and lunch (days 2 and 3 only).**

**Food:** **New this year!** A breakfast and lunch buffet will be provided at the hotel for days 2 and 3 of the training. The cost is included in your rate (minus taxes and gratuity). Meals on day 1 and all evening meals are not included.

**Certification:** A certificate of completion will be awarded to participants who attend all required training of 16 hours (4 hrs. for day 1 and 6 hrs. for days two and three.)

**Registration:** Registration is through [STIPD](#). The training code is indicated on the Training Tables.

If you do not have an STIPD user id and password: Public School staff, contact your LEA.

Others, e-mail your full name, site (facility), date of birth\* (xx-xx-xx format), last four digits of your Social Security Number\* and valid email address to [tammy.gibson@dca.alabama.gov](mailto:tammy.gibson@dca.alabama.gov). **In the subject line, include "STIPD user id".**

\*These are requirements of STIPD in order to provide a username.

For more information about these trainings or reservations, please email Tammy Loper at [tammy.loper@dca.alabama.gov](mailto:tammy.loper@dca.alabama.gov)

**Training Table 1****Training times:**

Day 1 – 12:00p -4:00p

Day 2 – 9:00a – 4:00p

Day 3 – 9:00a – 4:00p

**IMPORTANT**

Trainings in Table 1 are for class staff (lead and auxiliary teachers) and directors. Trainings in Table 2 are for directors only. Teachers should plan to attend **one** training from **Table 1**. **Directors** should plan to attend **one** training from **Table 1** plus **one** training from **Table 2**.

Teachers should plan to attend one training from Table 1; directors should attend one training from Table 1 as well as one training for Table 2.

Date	STIPD #	Doubletree Reservation Code	Cost of Training
July 6 – 8	GOLDL2015	CA1	<b>Non-OSR-funded classrooms:</b> \$200/Session (paid by invoice)
July 8 – 10		CA2	
July 13 – 15		CA3	
July 15 – 17		CA4	<b>Kindergarten – OSR Partnership-funded</b> - Free
July 27 – 29		CA5	
July 29 – 31		CA6	
August 3 – 5		CA7	<b>Infants and Toddlers –Early Head Start Partnership-funded</b> Free to first time participants Repeat participants - \$200/session (paid by invoice)
August 5 – 7		CA8	
August 24 – 26		CA9	
August 26 – 28		CA10	<b>OSR – First Class Pre-K-funded</b> First time participants – free Repeat participants - \$200/session (paid by invoice)
September 14 -16		CA11	
September 16 – 18		CA12	
September 21 – 23		CA13	Cancellations must be made within 48 hours of training to avoid a fee. All no-shows will be assessed the \$200 fee (paid by invoice).

**Training Table 2- Directors Only****Training time: 9:00am – 4:00pm**

Directors should plan to attend one training from Table 1 as well as one training from Table 2

Date	STIPD #	Doubletree Reservation Code	Cost of Training
September 24	GOLDR2015	CA14	Follow the cost guidelines in Table 1, replacing \$200 with \$100.
September 25		CA15	

If participation for a session is low, OSR has the right to combine two or more sessions or change the location. Please check our [website](#) for updates or log into STIPD for changes.